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Stockholm, September 28.

LAST Night Captain Kendall, Commander of His Britannick Majesty's Ship the Weymouth, arrived here, with Letters of the 20th Instant from Sir Charles Wager, advising, that the Season of the Year being so far advanced, and there being certain Intelligence from Petersbourg and Cronslot, that the Russian Gallies were laid up in their Winter Harbours, and their Fleet not in a Condition to put to Sea, he had sailed from the Bay of Revel that Morning, with the Wind at East South East, having appointed Bornholm, Kiog Bay, or Copenhagen, to be the Places of Rendezvous for the Squadron under his Command in case of losing Company. Captain Kendall gives this further Account, that on the 21st in the Morning, the British Squadron was off Dagerfort, (a Point of the Island of Dragoe) and the Danish about three Leagues a-stern of them. That about Eight a-Clock that Morning he made Sail for Elfnab in the River of Stockholm; the Wind having veer'd about to the West and West South West; and in the Evening he had a violent Gale: That about Two the next Morning (the 22d) he saw a good Number of Lights, and an Hour after several more, which he took to be Sir Charles Wager's Squadron, and as they then had the Wind they could weather Gotland, and he makes no doubt they got under Bornholm the next Day, the Wind being fair for them. On the 26th Captain Kendall came to an Anchor at Elfnab, where His Britannick Majesty's Ship Preston had lain for some Days before. The Preston and Weymouth will sail from Elfnab within two Days, Wind and Weather permitting.

Paris, Oct. 19, N. S. On the 6th Instant the Queen appeared at the Chapel at Fontainebleau, and received the Communion from the Hands of the Cardinal de Fleury, her Great Almoner. On the 8th M. Wedderkop, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Denmark, had a private Audience of the King and Queen at Fontainebleau: On the 15th the Abbot Landi, Envoy Extraordinary from the Duke of Parma, had a publick Audience of Leave of their Majesties, and is preparing to return to Italy, his Suc-

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cessour the Count de St. Severin being arrived here. The 10th Instant M. Pelletier des Forts Comptroller General of the Finances, M. Fagon Counsellour of State and of the Royal Council of the Finances, the Count de Maurepas Secretary of State, and M. d'Ormesson Intendant of the Finances, Commissioners from the King, went to the General Assembly of the Clergy, where they were received with the usual Ceremonies, and M. Pelletier des Forts made a Speech to them, which was answered by the Archbishop of Aix in the Name of the Assembly. On the 12th the same Commissioners went again to the Assembly, and in his Majesty's Name demanded a Subsidy of five Millions of Livres, which was agreed to unanimously.

This is to give Notice, That on Tuesday the 25th of this present October, the Six Months Pension due to the Invalid Out-Pensioners belonging to the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, between the 25th of June, and the 24th of December 1725, will begin to be paid at the Pay-Office in the said Hospital, and so continue daily till the whole is paid.

Trustees-Office, South-Sea-House, Sept. 30, 1726.

The Trustees appointed by Act of Parliament for Sale of the Estates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Company and others, give Notice, That they intend to expose to Sale by Cant or Auction, to the best Bidder, in the Hall of the South-Sea-House, on Wednesday the 9th Day of November next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, the several Estates following, viz. A Freehold House in Rose-street, Covent-Garden, late the Estate of William Astell, Esq; (one of the late Directors of the South-Sea-Company). A Moiety of three Freehold Houses in Aldgate, in the City of London, late the Estate of Richard Houlditch, Esq; (one of the said late Directors). Three Houses in Basinghall-street, in the City of London, late the Estate of Mr. Robert Knight, late Cashire of the South-Sea-Company. One Fifth Part of Office of Marshal of the King's Bench Prison in Southwark, in the County of Surrey, late the Estate of the said Mr. Knight. One other Fifth Part of the said Office of Marshal of the King's Bench, and several Freehold Lands and Tenements at Downhambury and Sandhurst, in the County of Gloucester, late the Estates of Mr. Robert Suzman, late Deputy Cashire of the said Company. Particulars of the said Estates may be had at the Trustees said Office.

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